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Dear Pete,

The SNIE on the very important subject for which you were a major participant should be approved for distribution in the next few days. I want to tell you how much I appreciate your major contribution to this excellent piece of work and I am confident that it will have a great deal of influence within Government circles. Mr. Casey himself said, "This is a very fine piece of work." Without contributions from persons such as yourself, this Estimate would not have been possible and you, Dave and Bob are to be congratulated.

I send to you my sincere appreciation for the important work you did and I trust that I may feel free to call on you again for additional help on future Estimates.

Yours sincerely,



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